

Dear FCC,

I strongly believe that the open internet order is needed for a free, open, accessible and economically advantageous internet. Data shows that investment has not gone down, this deregulation is about control and increasing profit margins not improving networks. While I believe internet access should be more affordable, it is simply not acceptable to give the powers proposed to internet providers, even if it resulted in a cheaper "internet" (which is likely will not, rather it will just increase profit margins). Repealing the protections will forever un-level the playing field for small business, tech start-ups, and charities. Although I cannot claim to be an expert I hope the outcry you have heard today sways your course of action, especially after already gutting privacy protections earlier this year. The internet is the greatest invention ever, it is our moral duty to protect it. Empty promises from companies are not enough. If Title II is such a problem (which is debateable), consider lobbying for a bill that better applies to mobile broadband while protecting the open internet explicitly.

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